32. Phenobarbitone
33. Promethazine
34. Reserpine
35. Ranitidine
36. Salazosulfapyridine
37. Sulphadiazine
38. Sulphadoxine
39. Spironcolactone
40. Salbutamol
41. Tetracycline
42. Vitamin A
43. Vitamin B-1
44. Vitamin B-2
45. Vitamin B-6
46. Timolol
47. Isoxsuprine
48. Metoprolol
49. Chlorpromazine
50. Imipramine

Prices of Vitamins

714. SHRI BEKAL UTSAHI: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS be pleased refer to the answer to *Unstarred Question 605 given in the* Rajya Sabha on the 19th March, 1990 and state:

(a) whether it is a fact tha prices of vitamin B1, B2, B6, E and K were reported to his Ministry by the manufacturers in Form 1A under Drugs Price Control Order 1987;

(b) if so, when and what are the names of the producers who submitted Form 1A;

(c) what were the prices of these drugs before the announcement of Drugs Price Control Order, 1987, what were the prices reported in Form 1A and what is the price of each of these drugs on 30th April, 1990;

(d) what is the percentage increase in each case;

(e) whether it is a fact that due to monopoly situation, producers had resorted to indiscriminate increase in prices; and

(f) if so, what steps have been taken to discipline the producers and scrutinise the price increase?

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS (SHRI M. S. GURUPADASWAMY): (a) to (f) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Reduction of Customs duty on intermediates and chemicals

715. SHRI BEKAL UTSAHI: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS be pleased to refer to the answer to Unstarred Question 644 given in the Rajya Sabha on 19th March, 1990 and state:

(a) what are the names of intermediates and chemicals on which customs duty has been reduced;

(b) what are the names of the bulk drugs in which these chemicals and intermediates are used;

(c) what are the names of bulk drugs which are price controlled and what are those which are outside price control;

(d) what are the names of bulk drugs where prices were adjusted based on customs duty reduction; and

(e) what was the price of each earlier and what is the present price;

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS (SHRI M. S. GURUPADASWAMY: (a) and (b) A statement giving the names of the drug intermediates on which Customs duty has been reduced with effect from the 20th March, 1990 alongwith the drugs for which they are used is attached *(See below)*.